

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE - SEMESTER-VII EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2025

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Subject Name:AI and Machine Learning

Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

	Marks
Q.1 (a) Describe the key goals and objectives of Artificial Intelligence. How is AI shaping the future?	03
(b) Give a brief overview of the history of Artificial Intelligence, highlighting significant milestones.	04
(c) Discuss the similarities and differences between human intelligence and artificial intelligence in terms of learning and decision-making.	07
Q.2 (a) Describe the biological neuron and explain its key functions.	03
(b) Explain the fundamental structure of an Artificial Neural Network (ANN) and provide a clear diagram to support your explanation.	04
(c) Why is the activation function important in neural networks? Discuss the various types of activation functions used in feedforward networks.	07
OR	
(c) Demonstrate the different types of learning methods used in neural networks, providing examples where applicable.	07
Q.3 (a) What is dimensionality reduction in machine learning? Explain its importance.	03
(b) Define feature selection in machine learning and outline the key steps involved in the process.	04
(c) Compare and contrast simple linear regression and multiple linear regression methods used for predicting output.	07
OR	
Q.3 (a) What are decision trees in machine learning? Define and explain the concepts of decision nodes and leaf nodes	03
(b) Explain collaborative filtering and discuss its role in recommender systems.	04
(c) Provide a brief description of the K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) algorithm and how it functions.	07
Q.4 (a) Is clustering a supervised or unsupervised learning method? Explain with a relevant example	03

- (b) Differentiate between machine learning and deep learning. **04**
 (c) Provide a brief explanation of agglomerative hierarchical clustering. **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) Explain the selection operator in a genetic algorithm. **03**
 (b) Describe any one crossover technique used in genetic algorithms with an example. **04**
 (c) Using a flowchart, explain the concept of a genetic algorithm and the importance of mutation and crossover. **07**

- Q.5** (a) Describe the concepts of hyperplanes, support vectors, and the kernel trick in Support Vector Machines (SVM). **03**
 (b) Explain the basic concept of Support Vector Machines (SVM) in machine learning. **04**
 (c) Describe the Logistic Regression approach in machine learning. Is it a classification or regression technique? **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) What are the benefits and limitations of a fuzzy logic system? **03**
 (b) Using the Centre of Area Defuzzification method, find the crisp outputs Y1 and Y2 for the given membership functions, assuming $X_1 = X_2 = 4$. **04**

$$\mu(X_1) = \left\{ \frac{0.3}{0}, \frac{0.6}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{0.6}{8}, \frac{0.3}{10} \right\} \quad \mu(X_2) = \left\{ \frac{0.3}{0}, \frac{0.6}{2}, \frac{0.6}{4}, \frac{0.6}{6}, \frac{0.6}{8}, \frac{0.3}{10} \right\}$$

- (c) Briefly explain the various types of membership functions used in fuzzy systems. Discuss any three membership functions in detail. **07**

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